PTO/SB/17 (01-06) Approved for use through 7/31/2006. OMB 0651-0032 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). 10/824,831 Application Number TRANSMITTAL April 14, 2004 Filing Date For FY 2006 First Named Inventor Katsumi FUKUMOTO **Examiner Name** E. Wendler Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit 2824 577642000100 **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** 910.00 Attorney Docket No. METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): Deposit Account Number: 03-1952 Deposit Account Name: Morrison & Foerster LLP x Deposit Account For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 x Credit any overpayments FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.) 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES SEARCH FEES EXAMINATION FEES Small Entity Small Entity** Small Entity **Application Type** Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Utility 300 150 500 250 200 100 0.00 Design 200 100 100 50 130 65 0.00 Plant 200 300 100 150 160 80 0.00 300 Reissue 500 250 150 600 300 0.00 Provisional 200 100 0 0 0.00 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Small Entity Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee Description Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 50 25 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) 200 100 Multiple dependent claims 360 180 **Total Claims** Fee Paid (\$) **Multiple Dependent Claims** Extra Claims 0.00 Fee Paid (\$) - 20 = Fee (\$) HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20. 360.00 0.00 Fee Paid (\$) Fee (\$) 0 × 200.00 0.00 HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3. 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Extra Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee Paid (\$) Fee (\$) - 100 = 250.00 0.00 (round up to a whole number) x 4. OTHER FEE(S) Fees Paid (\$) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 ... 790.00 1251 Extension for response within first month 120.00 SUBMITTED BY

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